Clean Water Management Trust Fund 2012 Overview

House Select Committee on CTS Contamination Site

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CWMTF Background

- •Established 1996 by General Assembly
- Non-regulatory program
- Projects Types
 - Wastewater Infrastructure
 - Restoration / Stormwater
 - Land Acquisition
 - Riparian buffers
 - Greenways

CWMTF Project Summary 1997-2011

- •1,505 grants since 1997
- Over \$968 million awarded
- Leveraged \$1.4 billion
- Projects in 100 Counties

- 5,100 miles of buffers preserved10 Trips from Murphy to Manteo
- •473,000 acres protected
 358,000 Football Fields

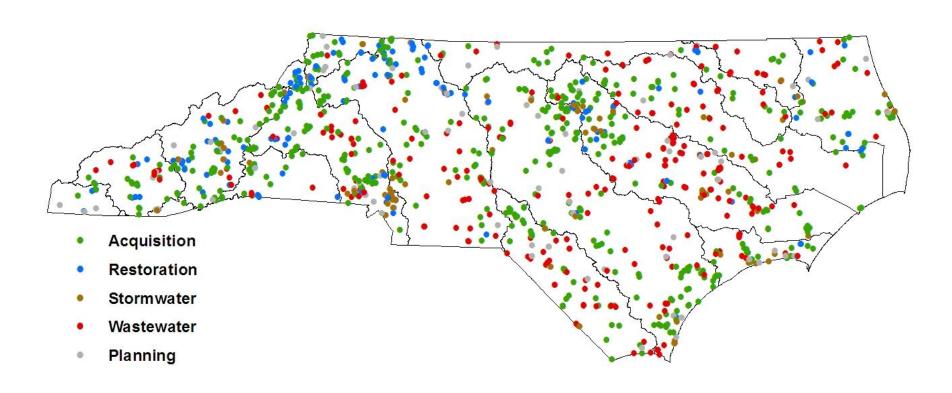
Programs

Acquisition 55%

Restoration/Stormwater/Greenways 19%

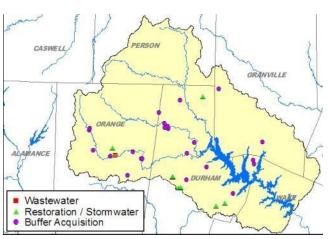
Wastewater 26%

Clean Water Management Trust Fund Funded Projects (1997-2011)



Acquisition of Riparian Buffers

CWMTF buffers in drinking supply watersheds



Falls Lake reservoir, Wake County watershed map



Acquisition of Riparian Buffers



CWMTF adds lands to our State Parks, protecting water quality and natural resources and supporting tourism.





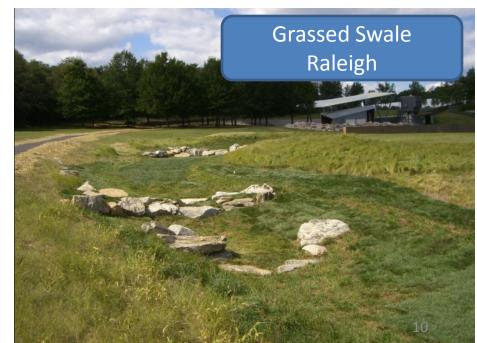






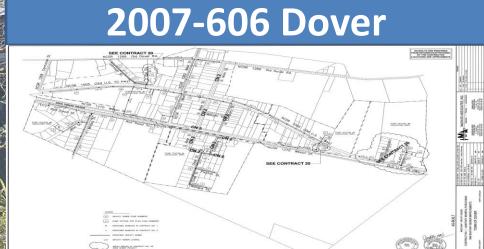






Elimination of failing septic systems, straight pipes, & privies eliminates surface water pollution from these sources.





Collection systems and Regionalization in the Core Creek watershed





Sewer collection system rehabilitation decreases:

- overflows of raw wastewater to surface waters,
- impaired treatment due to overloading at WWTPs, and
- overloading of land disposal sites.





Three systems eliminated

CWMTF invested \$3M of a total \$6.4M Rural Center contributed additional \$3M

Total cost of upgrading each system estimated \$15M - \$18M



Sand Filter System - East Wilkes HS, Wilkes County – eliminated

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Jonesville WWTP, Yadkin Countyeliminated

Program Administration 2008-2011

- •During the course of this fiscal year, CWMTF will manage around 300 grant contracts totaling approximately \$100 million.
 - •Total administration budget has been reduced 38% (from nearly \$2.5 million in 2008-09 to just over \$1.5 million for the current fiscal year.)
 - •Over this same time period CWMTF has reduced its workforce by 38% (which includes a reduction-in-force this year of 8 out of 21 permanent employees)
 - •Also included in the reductions are cost savings to facilities and operations by 65%

Implementation 2011 Budget

- •In the 2011-12 budget the General Assembly repealed the CWMTF's \$1 million statutory appropriation and provided \$11.25 million to be used a
 - •\$3,000,000 administration and debt service;
 - •\$1,500,000 the acquisition of property to protect military bases; a
 - •\$6,750,000 water infrastructure projects, donated minigrants and purchase of conservation easements.

Overview of CWMTF 2011 Awards

- Applications for more than \$157,000,000
- •Funded less than 10% of the need expressed in applications
- •46 awards made in 26 different counties across the state
- •CWMTF funds will leverage an overall 65% in matching funds
- •76% of wastewater awards made to economically distressed communities
- •Infrastructure awards focus on projects that are construction ready
- •17 awards will help to protect downstream water supplies

2012 CWMTF Initiatives

Continue to administer program efficiently/effectively

Increase funding to better protect surface water quality and drinking water supplies

•\$126,000,000 in 2012 applications

Eliminate restrictions on use of funding

Implementation HB 609 – Water supply Development / Efficiency

- Fund Water Supply Reservoirs
- Enhancement or development of drinking water supplies

